



**PATENT** 

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**APPLICANT** 

Joachim NOACK

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**FOR** 

METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE

INTRAPERITONEAL VOLUME AND DEVICE

FOR PERITONEAL DIALYSIS

**GROUP ART UNIT** 

3763

CONFIRMATION NO.

8345

**EXAMINER** 

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 22, 2004, please enter the following remarks as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.